The NATA Research & Education Foundation champions research, supports education and enhances knowledge to optimize the clinical experience and outcomes within the diverse patient populations served by the athletic training profession.

| $19,403 | 15,000 photos | 57 scholarships totaling: $131,100 |
| was raised by 18 university programs through the National Athletic Training Student Challenge. A new record! | uploaded through the Johnson & Johnson Donate a Photo campaign, resulting in $15,000 donated. | THE RESEARCH MENTOR PROGRAM is in its seventh year with 11 mentee-mentor pairings. |
| 2 General Research Grants awarded totaling: | 8 Doctoral Research Grants awarded totaling: $19,981 | 3 Masters Research Grants awarded totaling: $2,976 |
| $72,040 | $23,000 | |
| Silent Auction NET Total: $18,000+ - largest to date! | 1 New Investigator Research Grant awarded totaling: | 292 Free communications oral, poster and rapid fire session presentations during NATA 2018 in New Orleans |
| 700 The Speakeasy presented by Cellutex had approximately 700 attendees | $13,000 raised through the NATA Foundation 5K fueled by Gatorade | 308 research grants awarded through December 2018 resulting in more than $4.5 million |
| 1,612 scholarships have been awarded since our inception totaling more than $3.3 million | 14 research grants awarded in 2018 totaling: $150,912 | $80,000 was raised through our 2018 convention events and campaigns |

**STUDENT WRITING CONTEST WINNERS:**
- Case Study – Sarah Davis, Campbell University
- Original Research – Kayla Boehm, Central Michigan University
- Literature Review – Michelle Weddle, Messiah College

**RESEARCH AWARD RECIPIENTS 2018:**
- Johna K. Register-Mihalik, PhD, LAT, ATC
  The New Investigator Award
- Mark Feger, PhD, ATC
  The David H. Perrin Doctoral Dissertation Award

**DISTINGUISHED SCHOLAR LECTURE EXCHANGE PARTNERSHIPS WITH:**
- The American College of Sports Medicine
- The American Medical Society of Sports Medicine
- The American Orthopaedic Society for Sports Medicine

**3 NEW ENDOWMENTS ESTABLISHED IN 2018:**
- PFATS Jerry Rhea Scholarship
- PFATS John Norwig Scholarship
- PFATS Robert H. ("Bobby") Gunn Scholarship